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11/21/01 Filing Date for FY 2004 First Named Inventor Effective 10/01/2003. Patent fees are subject to annual revision. Rickie C. Lake **Examiner Name** Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27 Art Unit 1733 TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$) MI40-338 1.298.00 Attorney Docket No. METHOD OF PAYMENT (check all that apply) FEE CALCULATION (continued) 3. ADDITIONAL FEES Money (X) Check Credit card Other None Large Entity , Small Entity Deposit Account: Fee **Fee Description** (\$) Deposit Code Code (\$) 23-0925 Fee Paid Account 1051 2051 65 Surcharge - late filing fee or oath 130 Number Deposit Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or 1052 50 2052 25 Wells St. John P.S. Account cover sheet Name 130 Non-English specification 1053 1053 130 e Director is authorized to: (check all that apply) 1812 2,520 For filing a request for ex parte reexamination 1812 2.520 Credit any overpayments Charge fee(s) indicated below 920* Requesting publication of SIR prior to 1804 1804 920 Charge any additional fee(s) or any underpayment of fee(s) Examiner action Charge fee(s) indicated below, except for the filing fee Requesting publication of SIR after 1805 1,840 1805 1,840 Examiner action to the above-identified deposit account 2251 55 Extension for reply within first month 1251 110 **FEE CALCULATION** Extension for reply within second month 420 2252 420. 1252 1. BASIC FILING FEE 1253 2253 475 Extension for reply within third month 950 Large Entity Small Entity Fee Paid Fee Fee Code (\$) Fee Description 1254 1,480 2254 Extension for reply within fourth month 1,005 Extension for reply within fifth month 1255 2.010 2255 1001 770 2001 385 Utility filing fee 770 1401 2401 Design filing fee 330 165 Notice of Appeal 1002 340 2002 170 1402 330 2402 165 Filing a brief in support of an appeal 1003 530 2003 265 Plant filing fee 1403 290 2403 145 Request for oral hearing 385 1004 770 2004 Reissue filing fee 1451 1.510 1451 1.510 Petition to institute a public use proceeding 1005 160 2005 Provisional filing fee 1452 110 2452 55 Petition to revive - unavoidable SUBTOTAL (1) (\$) 770.00 1453 1,330 2453 665 Petition to revive - unintentional 2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE 1501 1,330 2501 665 Utility issue fee (or reissue) Fee from Extra Claims 1502 480 2502 240 Design issue fee below 18 6 **Total Claims** X 2503 1503 640 320 Plant issue fee Independent 0 π 1460 130 1460 130 Petitions to the Commissioner Multiple Dependent 50 Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q) 1807 50 1807 Large Entity **Small Entity** 180 1806 180 Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt 1806 Fee Fee Code (\$) Fee Description 40 Recording each patent assignment per Code (\$) 8021 40 8021 property (times number of properties) Claims in excess of 20 2202 g 1202 18 385 Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a)) 1809 2809 770 Independent claims in excess of 3 1201 86 2201 43 Multiple dependent claim, if not paid 385 For each additional invention to be 1203 290 2203 145 770 1810 2810 examined (37 CFR 1.129(b)) Reissue independent claims 1204 86 2204 43 385 Request for Continued Examination (RCE) 2801 over original patent 1801 770 Request for expedited examination 1802 900 1802 ** Reissue claims in excess of 20 2205 1205 18 and over original patent of a design application Other fee (specify) l(\$) 108.00 SUBTOTAL (2) 420.00*Reduced by Basic Filing Fee Paid SUBTOTAL (3)

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